

**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
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Attorney Docket No. JDC-392 DIV 2

First Inventor Gary A. Benner

Title SYSTEM FOR ASSEMBLING DENTAL FLOSS DISPENSER COMPONENTS

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) *(submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)*
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
3. Specification [Total Pages 29] *(Preferred arrangement set forth below)*
 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s)(35 USC 113) [Total Sheets4]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages3]
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 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) *(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)*
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6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-Part (CIP) of prior application No.: 10/094,262, filed

03/08/2002. Prior application information: Examiner David P. Bryant Group Art Unit: 3726

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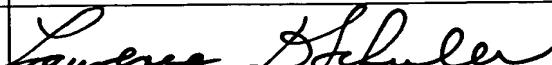
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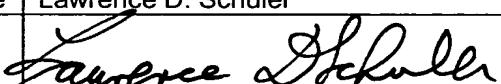
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